

REMARKSI. November 5, 2004 Office Action

In the Office Action dated November 5, 2004, the Examiner stated that the Amendment filed August 24, 2004 does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121(c) because each claim (including specifically Claims 6-9 and 14-17) has not been provided with the proper status identifier.

In response, Applicant has revised the claim listing above, from the version previously submitted, so that each claim has a proper status identifier. Accordingly, in response to the November 5 Office Action, Applicant submits this compliant amendment, which is identical to the Amendment submitted August 24, except for the revision of the status identifiers. Applicant respectfully submits that the Amendment contained herein is fully compliant with 37 CFR 1.121(c).

II. August 6, 2004 Office Action

Applicant acknowledges with appreciation the Examiner's allowance of Claims 5-9 and 14-17, subject to Applicant's compliance with several formal matters. In response, Applicant has addressed each of the formal matters listed by the Examiner. Specifically, Applicant has amended the Title of the Invention to include the term "shear pin" as requested by the Examiner, and has amended Claims 5, 8 and 14 to change "movement" to -- movements --. Accordingly, Applicant earnestly solicits the issuance of a Notice of Allowance with respect to Claims 5-9 and 14-17.

If there are any fees incurred by this Amendment Letter, please deduct them from our Deposit Account No. 23-0830.

Respectfully submitted,
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